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OF ENZYMATIC ACTIVITY :

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

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BY: *Mark E. McShane*

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

Sir:

It is requested that the time for response to the "Notification of Missing Requirements  
Under 35 U.S.C. 371 . . ." (Form PCT/DO/EO/905) dated March 12, 2001, be extended 2  
months so that it expires on June 12, 2001.

If a further extension is needed, such extension is requested, and the Commissioner is  
hereby authorized to debit any other amount which may be required or credit any overpayment  
to Deposit Account No. 03-2775.

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Respectfully submitted,

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